



Media Information

Columbus Division of Police

Date: January 12, 2020

Major Crimes Bureau / Homicide Unit

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Type of Offense/Incident: Shooting-Homicide

Date: January 12, 2020 Time: 4:22PM

Location of Offense/Incident: 6391 Georges Creek Dr.

Zone: 2

Precinct: 20

Incident Report #: 200032600

Cruiser District: 203

Victim: Savon A. Pullie

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 21

Victim: Todd Hammond Jr.

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 20

Victim:

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Suspect: Darnell Rashawn Walton

Address: 5709 Mouzon Drive

☒ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex: Male

Race: Black

Age: 19

Charges: Murder

Suspect:

Address:

☐ Arrested

☐ Warrant on File

Sex:

Race:

Age:

Charges:

Incident Summary: On January 12, 2020 at 4:22PM, Patrol Officers responded to 6391 Georges Creek Drive on the report of a vehicle striking a building. Additional information was obtained that indicated that the vehicle was on fire and witnesses heard gunshots in the area prior to the accident. When patrol officers arrived they found the vehicle and the building in flames and summoned Columbus Fire. CFD was able to extinguish the fire, and found the victim still inside the vehicle. The victim, Savon Pullie, was pronounced deceased by CFD at 4:35PM. It was also learned, that the second victim, Mr. Todd Hammond Jr., was also in the vehicle, at the time of the shooting and when the vehicle struck the building. Mr. Hammond fled the vehicle after the accident, and he only suffered minor injuries.

The investigation continues. This is the 8th Homicide in the City of Columbus in Calendar Year 2020.

Anyone with information regarding this incident, is asked to call the Columbus Police Homicide Unit at (614) 645-4730 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at (614) 461-TIPS.

Detective Michael Huffman is the lead Detective on the case being assisted by Det. Heather Collins.

UPDATE: On 4/26/2020 the suspect was arrested on the listed charge at 6:44 P.M. without incident.

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Assignment: Homicide

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